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## SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)

This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is being filed to correct a typographical error in the IDS filed March 31, 2000. That IDS incorrectly cited co-pending application serial no. 09/364,174. However, the correct serial no. of the co-pending application which applicants wish to bring to the Examiner's attention is 09/369,174.

This submission does not represent that a search has been made or that no better art exists and does not constitute an admission that the above-noted co-pending application is material or constitutes "prior art." If the Examiner applies the document as prior art against any claim in the application and Applicants determine that the cited document does not constitute "prior art" under United States law, Applicants reserve the right to present to the office the relevant facts and law regarding the appropriate status of the document.

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Applicants further reserve the right to take appropriate action to establish the patentability of the disclosed invention over the co-pending application, should it be applied against the claims of the present application.

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